

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

In re Application of : Customer Number: 41552

Border, Wayne, et al. : Confirmation Number: 3802

Application No.: 10/638,172 : Tech Center Art Unit: 1644

Filed: August 07, 2003 : Examiner: Phillip Gambel

For: INHIBITING TRANSFORMING GROWTH FACTOR BETA TO PREVENT

ACCUMULATION OF EXTRACELLULAR MATRIX

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Sir:

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